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On instructions from my Government and further to my letter of 23 August 1993 (S/26354), I have the honour to inform you that the Iranian regime's artillery bombardment of border areas in northern Iraq has continued, as follows:

1. In the early morning of 20 August 1993, the artillery of the Iranian regime shelled the area along the highway connecting Darbandikhan and Arabit, including the village of Janarah situated on the highway, and the area of Nawtaq village 10 kilometres to the north-west of Darbandikhan. The shelling continued into the afternoon, and a number of vehicles using the highway were hit and a number of citizens injured.

2. At 1100 hours on 20 August 1993, the artillery of the Iranian regime shelled a number of areas to the east and north of the Choarta township in the Sulaymaniyah Governorate, setting fire to a number of cultivated areas.

I should be grateful if you would have this letter circulated as a document of the Security Council.

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